

NAVY YARD FORCE TO BE INCREASED BY 1,500 ARTISANS

Additions of from 1,000 to 1,500 men to the force at the Washington Navy Yard will result from the expansion program outlined by Secretary Daniels in submitting an estimate to Congress for \$1,500,000 to be used for increasing the gun factory facilities.

The building program outlined includes construction of a six-story machine shop for mines, mounts, and torpedoes, a five-story pattern and wood-working shop, a new brass foundry, extensions to the power plant and steel forging plant, an optical shop, range finding towers, a new administration building, and additional quarters for enlisted personnel.

"With the accomplishment of the extensions contemplated," Secretary Daniels explained, "ample manufacturing facilities will be provided for the manufacture of from 500 to 900 torpedoes per annum, at least 3,000 mines per month, and a large increase in the manufacture of guns and accessories."

Plans for all the improvements at the Washington yard have been prepared in anticipation of favorable action by Congress on the appropriation request.

U. S. to Wage Great Campaign To Save Perishable Foods

The greatest campaign this country has ever known to save perishable fruits and vegetables will be waged by the Department of Agriculture through the rest of this summer and part of the fall.

Although a wonderful work has been done this year by the Department of Agriculture, by Herbert C. Hoover, by State agricultural departments, and by many other agencies in educating the public against waste of foodstuffs, there is still a vast amount to be done.

The Department of Agriculture has discovered that in twenty-four States of the Union, chiefly in the North, East, and West, there is a large surplus of perishable fruits and vegetables. The result is a decision to make an intensive campaign with canning, preserving, drying, storing, and the like as its object.

Educational Campaign. This campaign will be educational. William Leavitt Stoddard, one of the right hand men of Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Vrooman, will have charge.

That such a surplus of fruits and vegetables exists is in itself cause for satisfaction. It is due in part to the fact that much of the country responded to the call for "back yard gardens." But now that in half the States there is a surplus, it is of moment to preserve it. A principal reason is to prevent extortion for foodstuffs next fall and winter. Another

is that, if those who have raised a surplus this year find it can be saved, they will feel the more inclined next season to repeat the operation.

Emphasis is to be laid on the idea that perishables cannot be shipped with success.

Manufacturers to Aid. The Department of Agriculture has already taken the subject up with manufacturers of glassware, earthenware, and the like. They have promised co-operation.

By no means least in this movement will be the effort to save the potato crop. Strictly, of course, the potato is not perishable.

Nevertheless, there is great need in this country for intelligent attention to the potato crop, so that none of it may go to waste. The potato crop will be a huge one, judged by the extent of planting. In some localities, potatoes are likely to be quite cheap.

All Asked to Help. While the plans of the Department of Agriculture in respect to the potato are not yet given out, it is probable that every family will be encouraged to look out in the next few months for its potato supply for the winter, put it away in the cellar or in a pit in the yard or garden, and let no potatoes go to waste or be ungathered. In cities, of course, many families do not have cellars or yards, but the average American family can find a place to care for a small lot of potatoes if it tries to.

STUDENTS RENEW TRAINING GRIND AT CAMP TODAY

Soldiers and soldiers-to-be, stationed near Washington, went back to the grind of army training today, after nearly thirty-six hours of liberty. Saturday afternoon and Sunday are gala occasions for the boys in khaki.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Mrs. Newton D. Baker, wife of the Secretary of War, contributed to the entertainment of the men. The former spoke to several hundred men at Fort Myer.

"War has not decimated some sections of the armies of Europe as has immorality," Mr. Daniels asserted. "I beg of you to keep your bodies clean and set an example for all with whom you come in contact."

"If the United States is to win this war the young men of the army and navy must live clean lives."

Lieut. Col. Charles Fenton, post commander, also spoke. Mrs. Baker, at the Bethany Chapel of the Cathedral, sang "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." The Rev. Charles Wood, pastor of the Church of the Covenant, spoke on "Courage—Counterfeit and Genuine." On the platform with Dr. Wood were Bishop Alfred Harding, of the Protestant Episcopal Church; the Rev. G. G. Brantland, dean of the Washington Cathedral; several other clergymen, and officers of the Y. M. C. A.

REQUEST TO MERCHANTS

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Older people are slower to change a habit. THE TIMES is read already by practically ALL THE YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN OF WASHINGTON, and it will be read regularly very soon by practically all of the others.

Meanwhile, it is worth remembering that the young men and the young women are THE BUYERS.

We shall be grateful to any merchant who will request his employees to get answers to this question:

"What newspaper do you read? Do you read THE WASHINGTON TIMES? What do you like about it?"

There is no information quite as good as YOUR OWN information. And we are anxious that merchants should have THEIR OWN information about this newspaper, its readers, their number and quality.

TO RECOMMEND TEN MEN FOR INTELLIGENCE CORPS

Ten men, highly educated, intelligent, and speaking French and German, are to be recommended by Col. Charles W. Fenton, commandant of the training camp at Fort Myer, to the War Department for appointment in the intelligence department of the army.

These men will be attached to the division staff, according to Major Conrad Babcock, adjutant of the camp.

Only the highest type of men mentally, morally, and physically will be chosen. Their work, besides demanding remarkable intelligence, will require considerable personal bravery. They will hold themselves in readiness for orders at all times.

The orders may take them into the enemy's lines.

The men chosen probably will be commissioned either as first lieutenants or captains. It is intimated that they will be sent to France soon after their appointment.

Chased By U-Boat, Mrs. Astor Proves She's "Dead Game"

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 23.—A submarine pursued the liner aboard which Mrs. Vincent Astor was a passenger, en route to France, but Mrs. Astor "certainly was game," wrote Duncan F. MacDonald, Jr., who was aboard the same boat, to his father.

"All the fellows admired Mrs. Astor's pluck," said MacDonald. "Her only remark was: 'Well, if that thing catches up with us I shall wish that I was where the walking is better than it is around this ship!'"

The U-boat kept up the chase for nearly two days but finally gave up, MacDonald wrote.

RITTER BIDS ADIEU TODAY. Dr. Paul Ritter, Swiss envoy extraordinary, had an appointment with President Wilson late today to present letters of recall. It is expected he will become minister to The Hague.

MEATLESS, BREADLESS DAYS HELD COMMON

Meatless and breadless days brought about by Herbert C. Hoover's campaign for war economy, are benefiting neither the Government nor the consumer, according to a statement issued today by officers of the National Committee of Patriotic and Defense Societies.

The statement sets forth that the meatless day appeal of the Government is met by the answer of thousands that, because of the high price of the commodity "we have been forced to have many meatless days long before war was declared."

The statement is signed by Lieut. Gen. S. E. M. Young, honorary chairman; George Wharton Pepper, chairman; Edward Harding, chairman of the executive board, and William Mather Lewis, executive secretary.



Tuesday and Wednesday Food News of the Capital's Cleanest Markets

3420 M St. N. W.	3420 Ga. Ave. N. W.	11th & H Sts. N. E.
31st & M Sts. N. W.	7th & Fla. ave. N. W.	7th & H Sts. N. E.
2030 P St. N. W.	7th & Que Sts. N. W.	8th & E Sts. S. E.
21st & Pa. Ave. N. W.	726 7th St. N. W.	1440 P St. N. W.
18th & You Sts N. W.	712 K St. N. W.	918 La. Ave. N. W.
14th & You Sts. N. W.	1632 No. Capitol St.	930 La. Ave. N. W.
14th & Kenyon Sts. N. W.	7th & B Sts. N. E.	14th & R Sts. N. W.
14th & Perry place N. W.	739 No. Capitol St.	

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Fancy Smoked
**Picnic
Shoulders**

Cut from choice hogs, mildly cured and smoked to perfection. Mighty good eating, when boiled with cabbage, beans, etc.

Pound, **20c**

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Do not miss coming in, if you desire a bargain in tomatoes.

LARGE NO. 1
Potatoes

1-2 peck.....23c
Peck.....45c

KRUMBLES, Pkg.	9c
GRAPE NUTS..... 2 pkgs.	25c
GOSMAN'S GINGER ALE 2 bts.	25c
SHREDDED WHEAT, pkg.	11c
QUEEN OLIVES, Qt.	25c
MACARONI SPAGHETTI Bulk, 2 Lbs.	25c

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LEMONS, Doz., 15c

YELLOW ONIONS
1-4 peck, 13c

Veal

Breast, (bone out), lb. **22c**
Shoulder Chops, lb. **25c**
Cutlets, Lb. **35c**
Rib and Loin Chops, lb. **30c**

FISH! TROUT (cleaned) ... } Lb. 12c
BUTTERFISH ... } Lb. 10c

FRESH CREAMERY BUTTER

Derrydale Brand, 1-lb. print. **44c**
Holland Belle Brand, 1-lb. print. **46c**

BONELESS BREAKFAST BACON
SUGAR CURED

Whole Strip—lb **33c** Half Strip—lb **34c** Machine Sliced—lb **37c**

Pure Open-Kettle Rendered
Lard—lb. **23c** or 2 lbs. **45c**

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Rare Luxury

The Mitchell factory spends on beauty and luxury about one-fourth more than rivals.

There are 22 coats of body finish. And the finish is fixed by heat. A rare-grade leather is employed, costing 50 per cent more than usual. The upholstery is plaited—not tufted. There are handles for entering, a light in the tonneau, a locked compartment for valuables.

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Four-Passenger Roadster, \$1560
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Also Town Car and Limousine

Mitchell Junior—a 5-passenger Six on similar lines, with 120-inch wheelbase and a 40-horsepower motor. ¼-inch smaller bore.

\$1250

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HOME GUARD AVERTS CONNECTICUT LYNCHING

MOODUS, Conn., July 23.—Members of the local home guard were called on yesterday to rescue Philip Matinuck from an excited group of men who were rushing him with a rope around his neck to a tree, after he had shot Louis Grollman, proprietor of a hotel here. Grollman's wounds are not serious.

Matinuck's wife, who left him about two years ago, taking their child with her, is employed at the hotel. Matinuck went there demanding to see the child and, according to the authorities, shot Grollman when the latter tried to have him leave.

Matinuck was seized by hotel attendants and others, who were about to lynch him, when the home guard came up.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OPEN GREAT CAMPAIGN

The nation-wide campaign of the Knights of Columbus to raise \$1,000,000 to establish recreation centers at all of the principal concentration camps opened today to continue for a week.

The five council of Washington expect to raise \$10,000 as their share. Leo C. Rover was named chairman of a committee of five which will have charge of the local campaign.

William B. Normoyle was appointed chairman of the finance committee of 100, which will solicit voluntary subscriptions. More than two-thirds of the fund will be raised by an assessment of \$2 a member. An appeal is being made to all Catholics to subscribe.

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